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## REMARKS

## Claim Amendments:

In response to the *Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment*, the status indicators for Claims 1-3 and 6-7 were changed from "AMENDED" to — CURRENTLY AMENDED —, as required by the Office.

No other changes were made to the Claims.

No other changes were made to the previous Amendment filed 11/14/05. Applicant did not re-file the previous Amendment in this Reply in order to save space in this Reply; since no changes were made to the Amendment filed 11/14/05 (other than the change in Status Indicators above).

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## CONCLUSION

Applicants have responded to the **Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment**. Applicants request expeditious processing to issuance.

The Office is authorized to charge **Deposit Account # 19-0131** for any necessary fees regarding this response.

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